Manuel Flores House Seguin, Texas.

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MARUEL FLORES HOUSE Segmin, Guadalupe County, Texas.

Present Owner: Will Blanks

Date of Erection: 1820-25

Architect: Unknown

Builder: Manuel Flores

Present Condition: Very bad, semi-ruins

Number of Stories: Two

Materials of Construction: Concrete, rock, cypress and oak.

Other Existing Records: None

## Additional Data:

This house was built by Manuel Flores between 1820 and 1825. It is one of the earliest examples of "concrete" wall construction. The two story plan embodies three rooms and two fireplaces on each floor; the first floor is a semi-basement. Good shingle roof is hipped. The general character of the exterior is "Mexican Colonial".

The cistern and box filter South of the house are examples of excellent stone cutting and setting.

This information was secured from Ers. Max Weinert of Sequin, Toxas.

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